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IN RE APPLICATION

OF: AVEN ET AL.

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FOR: NON-AQUEOUS EMULSIFYABLE CONCENTRATE FORMULATION

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Sir:

In reply to the Office action of August 13, 2003, it is respectfully requested that the following amendment and remarks be entered and considered for further prosecution of the above-identified application:

A M E N D M E N T

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend Claims 2, 6 to 8 and 15 as indicated in the Listing of claims set forth in Appendix I attached to this paper. A clean copy of the claims as herewith amended is found in the attached Appendix II.

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